

NEWSLETTER

Attendance: 94.7%

No 27: 26th April 2024

Preparation and Practice at BFJS

Today, the whole school practised what to do in the event of a lockdown (or invacuation) being needed due to a danger outside the building (such as an escaped animal for instance). Following an assembly where we discussed how we regularly practice other routines such as fire drills and lining up, we shared what actions to take and the children and staff responded brilliantly during the practice. We intend to practice these drills on at least an annual basis.



Farleigh Flumpet Total!

Both Barnes Farm schools raised a brilliant £952.38 from the sale of the farmyard flumpets last term. Thank you to all the parents and carers for their support. Well done to the Junior school council for organising and promoting it! The money goes to our local hospice charity at Farleigh and we received a lovely certificate from them to say thank you.

Uniform Update for Primary School

I have attached the update from Mrs Farmer around the new uniform expectations for the new Primary School in September. This is available from myclothing.com and then search for Barnes Farm Primary. This information is also on both schools' websites.

After-School Club expectations

In order for our clubs to start on time, can all parents and carers please try to leave the site promptly at the end of the day after collection? The site re-opens at around 4:10pm to aid collection again at the end of clubs too. Plus a reminder that due to our safeguarding arrangements, no parents and carers are permitted on the school grounds to spectate ongoing clubs.

There are some spaces in some of our clubs - ask at the office for more details

Ross McTaggart
Headteacher

Stars of the Week

26/04/2024

Y6	Mia B	Harry B	Will K
Y5	Ethan W	Krish	Isla
Y4	Izzy P-M	Henry	Faris
Y3	Dhanvin	Albie	Meghan

Reading 4U
84%



PE Sports Provision

PE Kit Days					
Date (Week beginning)	M	T	W	T	F
29/4/2024	5	3	4	6	4
6/5/2024		3	4	5	6
13/5/2024	6	3	4	5	5
20/5/2024	6	3	4	5	
Half Term					
3/6/2024	6	3	4	5	3
10/6/2024	6	3	4	5	4
17/6/2024	6	3	4	5	5
24/6/2024	6	3	4	5	6
1/7/2024	6	3	4	5	3
8/7/2024	6	3	4	5	4
15/7/2024	6	3	4	5	5
22/7/2024	6	3			

Football Victories continue!

"Our latest match against Mildmay Primary school proved to be an enjoyable one. Two goals from Louis and Harry B respectively and one more from Ollie helped us onto a 5-1 victory. Thanks to Mr White for supporting the boys on Wednesday." - Noah Y6

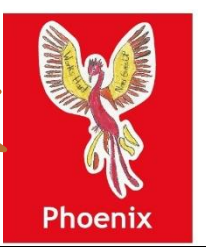




WhatsApp guidance

It has been brought to our attention that a number of children with smartphones are also regularly using WhatsApp for messaging. In Europe and UK the age restriction for this is **16 years old** and our advice is to follow this - particularly in relation to the risks of group chats. More info for parents can be found [here](#)



Portrait of King Charles III

The school successfully submitted an application for a framed Royal portrait of King Charles III. This now is on display in our front foyer.

Griffin	Phoenix	Pegasus	Dragon
			
Points	Points	Points	Points
1246	935	860	616
			



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